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## PATENT APPLICATION

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## Statement

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Sir:

In response to the Notice of Missing Requirements Under 35 USC 371 in the United States Designated/Elected Office, mailed June 1, 2001, applicants submit herewith a substitute copy of the Sequence Listing as a paper copy and in computer readable form. In accordance with 37 CFR § 1.821(e)-(g) the substantive content of the substitute computer readable form copy and the originally submitted paper copy of the of the Sequence Listing are the same, and the substitute copy of the Sequence Listing introduces no new matter.

The claimed invention is believed to be patentable and applicants request passage of the application to issuance.

Respectfully submitted,

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